

# THE CHARLEROI MAIL

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## COMMENT OVER CONTRACT FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Some Think School Board Was Wrong In Matter Of Favoring The Highest Bidder When Lower Was a Home Man.

## BOARD RATIFIES ACTION IN SECOND MEETING

Considerable comment, both favorable and unfavorable has been occasioned by the recent action of the Charleroi school board in awarding the contract for supplies for the school for the coming year to the highest bidder, Jenkinson Supply Co. of Pittsburgh, rather than to the lowest bidder, the only thing done was to ratify the George S. Might, who is a home former action. The board upholds him. The contract price with their action upon the superior quality of the Johnson company is \$125.14, in this list there being included all the necessary supplies in the way of tablets, pencils, blanks, examination papers, etc.

The contract was awarded at an adjourned meeting of the board last Friday night. Representatives of both houses were present with their bids and samples of their material. Johnson's it is stated had his items totaled and Might had not. The board examined the samples, and the prices from each house. Then it is stated by the friends of the local dealer that the contract to the Johnson Supply Co. offer of 2 per cent. discount was really at the price of \$125.14, which is less than the original amount, deducted by the representative for allowing his firm the entire deduction of Mr. Might's bid, and on the whole of 2 per cent. was \$101.07. The members of the board claim that he was given the square deal. While much contention and bitter feeling is being caused by the above action of the board it is hoped that the matter will be calmed over without any further outbreaks.

## COLORED MAN IS ARRESTED FOR MARIANNA MURDER

## WONSETLER WILL CASE IS AGAIN BEING CONTESTED

Suspected of the murder of Daniel O'Connor, which occurred at Marianna yesterday noon, James Ellison, alias James Milton, was arrested at Homestead, his home town yesterday, whence he is supposed to have fled after the shooting.

The man was arrested by Detective Wallace Hilton. Milton passed through Monongahela, on his way to Homestead from Marianna yesterday. At the fact that he was wanted by the authorities was not known.

He was arrested at the instigation of Coroner Sipe and will be held to the result of the inquest. He is in the Monongahela lockup.

It is learned this afternoon that another colored man by the name of Robert Lincoln had been arrested in connection with the murder. Susicion now rests upon him as the one who did the shooting more so than on Ellison. A hearing will be given the man tonight.

J. T. Dorsey, principal of the Department of Drugs, business college and superintendent of correspondence school left today for his home in Smith Grove, Ky. While here Prof. Dorsey made many friends who are sorry to see him leave.

WANTED—A girl for general house work. Apply Southern Furniture Company, 412 Fallowfield Avenue.

2742 P.

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## No Delay in Banking by Mail

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## CLARKSBURG WINS OUT

Moguls Heavy Hitters Get In Work At Expense Of Osborne,

By heavy hitting and the superior pitching of Fletcher, a new recruit from Wheeling, the Clarksburg bunch yesterday took a fast game from the Cherubs, 4 to 2. Osborne who twirled for Charleroi was hit hard and the Drummers took every advantage, playing fine inside ball.

Fletcher did not allow a Celestial to reach third until the eighth inning when two doubles and a single sent two runs over the pan. These were the only scores made by Charleroi, although they made a strong bid for two more in the same inning when "Bill" Houser landed one to left field fence. Cy Dawson distinguished himself by a long run and sensational catch thus robbing Charleroi of two runs which would have resulted.

Clarksburg scored in the first inning by hits and again in the third. In the sixth by hard work they chased another around the circuit and repeated the occurrence in the next inning.

Score:  
CLARKSBURG R H P A E  
F. Dawson, 1.....0 1 2 0 0  
J. Dawson, m.....1 0 2 0 0  
Clark, r.....1 1 1 0 0  
Conaway, 1.....0 1 10 0 0  
Gribbon, 2.....1 2 2 1 0  
McAvoy, 3.....1 3 1 4 0  
M'Ginty, s.....0 3 0 1 1  
McAleese, c.....0 0 9 2 0  
Fletcher, p.....0 0 0 2 0

Total.....4 11 27 10 1  
CHARLEROI R H P A E  
Dunn, s.....0 0 0 2 0  
Cosgrove, 2.....0 0 4 3 0  
Robb, h.....1 1 1 0 1  
Heinz, 1.....1 3 12 0 0  
Dailey, c.....0 2 3 1 0  
Nally, m.....0 0 4 1 0  
Houser, 3.....0 0 0 1 0  
May, r.....0 0 0 0 1  
Osborne, p.....0 2 0 3 0

Totals 2 8 24 13 3

Clarksburg.....1 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 2 1  
Charleroi.....0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 2  
Stolen base—J. Dawson. Sacrifice hits—Clark, Conaway, Dailey. Three-base hits—F. Dawson. First on errors—Off Fletcher 2, off Osborne 2. Left on bases—Clarksburg 11. Charleroi 9. First base on errors—Clarksburg 2. Charleroi 1. Two-base hits—McAvoy 2, Robb, Heinz. Struck out—By Fletcher 7, by Osborne 2. Double plays—McAvoy and Conaway; Nally and Cosgrove. Hit by pitcher—Osborne, Dailey, J. Dawson. Umpire—McGeary. Attendant—Soo. Time—1:50.

## THREE TEACHERS ARE SUCCESSFUL

The examinations held by Prof. Wright for teachers were finished up yesterday, and the results made known this morning. Of five who took the examinations for a certificate three passed, all from Charleroi. They are Miss Clara G. Cooper, Harriet Jolliffe and Mary McGee. Miss Nellie Rylands took examinations in a few of the subjects and was successful as far as she went. Another applicant failed.

Miss Elizabeth Rock is spending a few weeks here, from Morgantown, W. Va.

Mrs. R. W. Walters was visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, at Webster, yesterday.

## DRAW UP RESOLUTION

Students Must Take Examination to Enter High School Commercial Department.

The school board has adopted a resolution concerning the placing of students in the High School Commercial Department at Douglas College, so that from now on all who wish to take that course must first attend high school proper for one year at least. Last year about thirty persons from the eighth grade went to Douglas Business College, to take the Commercial course under ruling which provided for their entrance there. They are to get through in two years while those in the high school proper must spend three years. It was partially this that occasioned the action. The resolution follows:

Resolved—That the Board is of the opinion that the qualifications of an Eighth grade pupil are not sufficient preparation to enter upon a business course.

Therefore, be it forthwith resolved that hereafter the Board shall require all Eighth grade pupils desiring to take a business course to pass a satisfactory examination in the first year's work in high school.

## C. E. CONVENTION DRAWS MANY PEOPLE

The nineteenth annual convention of the Washington County Christian Endeavor association opened last evening at Uniontown with a very interesting meeting. The address of welcome was made by Walter Kennedy, and the response by Clarence Houston, of Washington. The address of the evening was made by Rev. George C. Dailey, D. D., pastor of the Washington M. P. church. His subject was "Ideals for Young Americans." Rev. E. A. Cole will make an address today. There are a number of delegates from Washington county societies present.

## HOLDING THE BABY.

Introducing a Nice Point in Baby Carriage Etiquette.

"That fellow doesn't know the first thing about the etiquette of the baby carriage," remarked one of a group of men at Thirty-first and Main streets.

The comment was made to all in a general way. One of the group, the man with a frayed collar and a look of patient resignation, gazed anxiously at a couple about to board a car. The mother was sparing in a desperate sort of way with one of those baby carriages which shop salesmen can open and close in a minute and the users in from five to thirty minutes.

"Don't see anything wrong with that," said the man with the frayed collar. "He's got to hold the baby even if she does have to wrestle with the carriage. You don't think he ought to hold the baby and take care of the carriage, too, do you?"

"Well, there's one thing sure," rejoined the objector—"the man doesn't know a thing about baby carriage etiquette. What you want to do is this: If the baby weighs more than the carriage, it's the man's place to hold the baby. If the carriage weighs more, he should hand the baby to his wife."

"Oh, piffle!" interpolated the man with the big black cigar. "You're way off. What he ought to do is to hand the baby to his wife and the carriage to the conductor."—Kansas City Star

Mrs. R. W. Walters was visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, at Webster, yesterday.

S. J. Richardson is transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

## DOUGLAS BUSINESS COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Nineteen Young Men And Women Receive Diplomas Last Night For Faithful Work During Term Of Study—Rev. Hall Addresses Class.

## YOUNG PERFORMERS WIN FOR THEMSELVES CREDIT

The class of '08, Douglass Business College held their commencement exercises in the School Hall last evening, the young performers very creditably acquitted themselves. The hall was well packed with parents and friends of the graduates, many having to stand.

The program was carried out without a hitch or disagreeable occurrence to mar the rare pleasure of the evening. Rev. Bobbitt delivered the invocation in a few well chosen words.

The salutatorian, Miss Alice Edna Neil welcomed the friends who were present. She spoke briefly of the opportunities that were before the class.

The touch typewriting exhibition was made by Miss Anna Jane Jones, Sarah Catherine Lenhart, and Elsie Jane Ward was something out of the ordinary and well demonstrated what could be done by the application of one's self towards something which it is desired should be accomplished.

The class biographer, Miss Minnie Mears gave some spicy items of history concerning the class and each member as well as the superintendent and instructors.

The valedictorian Robert T. McGowan, handled his subject, "Onward and Upward" in a good manner. He

was a superior order.

## ASSESSMENT OF COAL LAND IS MUCH TOO HIGH

Judges McIlvaine and Taylor, sitting in argument court yesterday heard appeals of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass company, the Pittsburgh-Westmoreland Coal company, and J. G. Patterson, an extensive coal owner from the triennial assessment. These parties claim their coal is assessed entirely too high and have taken the matter into court in the hope of getting a reduction. Boyd and E. E. Crumrine represent the appellants, and County Solicitor James I. Brownson the county. The county commissioners were all present at the hearing. Considerable testimony was taken. The commissioners were closely examined as to how they placed a value on the coal in various parts of the county in making the final adjustments after the assessor had returned their books.

They will return from the mountain about 8 o'clock and will go at once to the Elk's club rooms, in the West End theatre building. He will be the guest of the lodge and will meet the members with whom he is not already acquainted. A social session in which all will anticipate will follow.

Examinations for Certificates.

Examination for teachers permanent certificates are being held in Superintendent L. R. Crumrine's office in the court house Washington, today. The examination began yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock and was resumed this morning at 8 o'clock. Fifteen applicants are taking the examination.

Miss Edith Hazlett of Charleroi is one of those who are taking the examinations.

Mrs. Thos. Rosbottom left today for Morgantown, W. Va., visiting relatives.

Who first beheld the light of day, in spring's sweet flowery month of May, and wears an emerald all her life shall be a loved and happy wife.

There are no doubt many "loved and happy wives," who first beheld the light of day in spring's flowery month of May, who never wore an emerald. They no doubt preferred other precious gems, such as diamonds, garnets, pearls or opals.

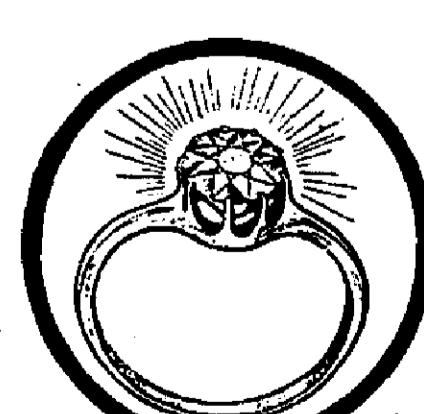
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Charleroi, Pa.

## PICNIC OF ST. JEROME'S SUNDAY SCHOOL AT PARK

The Sunday School of St. Jerome's was the sports. There were races of church yesterday picnic at Eldora, all kinds, for all sizes, from the Park. The affair was attended by little fellow who was hardly more than 350 children and parents who that able to toddle, up to his uncles and aunts. Prizes were awarded the enjoyment. Car left Fifth street in the winners in each event. At the morning at 8:45, conveying the members of the Sunday school to the park, the photographer took a picture of all the winners. The picnic was the best of the kind ever held by St. Jerome's.

The principal features of the day Sunday school.



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cents per line, first insertion; 5 cents  
a line, each additional insertion.

### Local Agencies

Geo. S. Might ..... Charleroi  
Glyde Collins ..... Streets  
M. Dooley ..... Dunlevy  
Justine Clements ..... Lock No. 4

### June 26 In History.

1796—David Rittenhouse, early astronomer and manager of the United States mint, died, born 1732.

1897—Mrs. Margaret Oliphant, English author, died; born 1828.

1904—Kuropatkin's army worsted at  
Molien pass by Japanese under  
Kuroki.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:27; moon rises  
8:33 a. m.; moon's age 28 days; 9 p. m.,  
two of Jupiter's moons missing.

### A Proper Move

Chairman Anderson of the Republican County Committee made a very wise move when he increased the number of Committeemen to twenty-five. The man must be very blind indeed who cannot see that the Drug Store Dynasty is busy, night and day, making preparations to defeat the Republican ticket in Washington County this Fall.

It has even gone so far that its press agent has sent out the figures showing how its combination with the Democrats and Prohibitionists can and will defeat the Republican ticket this Fall.

Any person who thinks that the Drug Store Dynasty is idle and that the Republican ticket this Fall will get the usual majority will be rudely awoken from his delusions ere "the frost is on the punkin'."

They will be in the midst of organized hysteria, carried on with the emotional zeal of a crusade, inspired and financed by the Dynasty for reasons of personal spite and political chagrin and which will be indifferent to the means, clear only to the end, that of ruining what it cannot rule. All the hate which basile ambition is capable will have full swing. If there be those who think different they are sadly mistaken and Chairman Anderson is going to be prepared for it by having vigilant and faithful Republicans on guard at all points.

Of course the campaign instigated and paid for by the Dynasty is going to be a humiliating failure under those conditions and will prove a boomerang to all concerned in it, and those who think the Dynasty is actuated by any other motive save that of revenge are deluding themselves as they will find out when too late.

### Somewhat Surprised.

It is stated that the West Penn street railway company will put on new and larger cars to replace the midgets now in use. It is also stated that the officials have been on a tour through Ohio, Indiana and Illinois inspecting the cars used upon electric roads in those States.

It must have surprised them to find

palace, sleeper, and dining cars on the trolley lines out there which in appointments and luxuriance are not excelled on any steam road.

W. n. they noticed the fine accommodations furnished to local passengers their own cars when compared to them were as a

### The Difference.

Collier's Weekly made a savage attack upon Senator Penrose. Collier's was a staunch supporter, defender and apologist of William T. Jerome, the most colossal disappointment in office this century thus far produced. If you took Collier's word for it, Jerome was the epitome of human virtue. He was "clean," "vigorous," "diligent," "sleepless," "eloquent," a terror and the nightmare of criminals, etc., ad nauseum.

Jerome proved to be the cheapest kind of a bluffer and grandstand player, who either because of his pany at tempt or total neglect, failed to fulfill a single thing he so vauntingly proclaimed he was going to do. If law meant justice Jerome would be in the penitentiary as an accessory both before and after the fact. He is of the type of failure Collier's makes a business of trying to boost into office through fulsome panegyries upon a person who is utterly destitute of the qualities it ascribes to him. Its demigods have proved to be satyrs always. Pennsylvanians would entertain serious doubts as to Senator Penrose's ability and integrity were he in Collier class, which makes a platitude about a duty instead of performing a duty.

### Four Foolish Delegates.

Pennsylvania had four foolish delegates at the Republican national convention, one of them, unfortunately, from the Twenty-Fourth district. Emery, who is not a Republican, and really had no right to a seat in a Republican convention, was expected to do something to keep up his reputation as a "knocker." He did not disappoint any of his enemies. The three other foolish gentlemen persisted in voting for Roosevelt. And will Roosevelt thank them? In after years when the history of the present strenuous era is written, the historian looking among the archives of the convention to get some clue to the attitude of the people upon the policies of Roosevelt, will find that out of nearly one thousand delegates elected by the Republicans to voice their sentiments, only three of them were for Roosevelt. Of course, we who are familiar with all the incidents of that convention will know differently—we will understand that Roosevelt could have been nominated had he said the word, but the historian of future generations, with nothing to guide him but the cold hard-hearted records of the convention, will see that Taff had 502 delegates and Roosevelt only 32; therefore his natural inference will be that the Republicans repudiated their leader and turned to another in the thick of the conflict. Do you think Roosevelt will appreciate such fool friends?

—Washington Journal

### Should Be Universal.

In many surrounding towns the officials are preparing to prevent the annual unnecessary loss of lives and limbs by prohibiting the use of dangerous explosives.

### The Scapegoat.

(Edmund Vance Cooke, in "Success Magazine")

Umpire, in the game's beginning,  
Seven strikes were pitched that in-  
ning;

"Balls" thou called them, thine the  
sining;

On thy head the goilt.

Umpire, how couldst thou have be-  
ckoned

Ballyhooley in from secone?

Safe h was and ill thou reckoned:

On thy head the guilt.

Umpire, though our pitcher tossed

them,

Though our catcher dodged and lest

them,

They sios were the ones which cast

them;

On thy head the guilt.

Umpire, each cause hath its martyr

Who can never hope to barter

Merely good intent for quart;

On thy head the guilt.

Umpire, though we slay and flout

thee,

Though forever we will doubt thee,

What would baseball be without thee?

On thy head the guilt.

### No Hitch.

"How did the wedding come off to-  
day?"

"Without a hitch."

"Glad to hear it."

"I said without a hitch. The bride

backed out at the last minute."

### Not Written.

"How do you write 'horn?'" asked

the teacher of a small boy at the black-  
board.

"A horn isn't written at all," an-  
swered the little fellow. "It's blown."

—Exchange.

### P. & W. Va. League

#### Standing of the Clubs.

	W. Va.	Pot.
Uniontown	25	15
Clarksburg	28	22
Charleroi	23	21
Fairmont	23	27
Connellsville	17	22
Scottsdale	16	28

#### Yesterday's Results.

Clarksburg	4	Charleroi	2
Fairmont	7	Scottsdale	1
Uniontown-Connellsville	Not scheduled		

#### Games Today

Charleroi at Clarksburg	
Fairmont at Scottsdale	
Uniontown at Connellsville	

### POINTING THE BONE.

Queer Superstition of the Native  
Blacks of Australia.

The native blacks of Australia are steeped in superstition. A black fellow will on no account go near the spot where another black has been buried. He has a deep rooted aversion to one particular bird—the wagtail—because, he says, "him all day talk, talk along a white fellow, tell him all about black fellow," and no opportunity is lost of killing these little birds.

Many tribes "bury" their dead by sticking them up into the forks of trees and there leaving them till the flesh has either dropped or been taken, leaving the bones clean. These bones are then taken down, the larger ones buried and the smallest handed round as keepsakes to those nearly related to the deceased. Should one black fellow wish the death of a rival or enemy he points the bone at him. This means that he takes one of his late relation's bones from his dilly bag and points it, in the presence of witnesses, at the man he wishes to get rid of, all the time pouring forth threats and curses.

Strange as it may seem, the one pointed at will often languish and die, perhaps in a month, perhaps in a year, for no sooner is the bone pointed than he makes up his mind to die, and there is no saving him.—London Standard.

Not Entirely.

Moe Rose—Do you think the automobile is replacing the horse? Joe Cose-Well, not entirely, anyway. I haven't found automobile in my bologna as yet.—Browning's Magazine.

Of a Modern Genius.

"Going to comprise his life and letters?"

"There were no letters. I'm going to comprise his life and post cards."—Washington Star.

The S. C. Youngers.

Examine out is a dental can-  
didate and so far of them made  
stupendous speeches.

George Washington, no doubt none

Thomas Jefferson, no doubt none

John Adams, John Quincy Adams, James Madison, James Monroe made

none.

Neither did Andrew Jackson, nor Martin Van Buren, nor General Harrison, nor James K. Polk, nor Franklin Pierce, nor James Buchanan.—Jefferson

son.

Mrs. May Frye, Mrs. John Sullivan and Miss Julia Sullivan are spending

the day in Pittsburgh.

—Washington Star.

Notice to Teachers.

School Board of Fallowfield township, Washington county, Pa., will

meet at Charleroi bank hall, July 11,

1901, at 1 o'clock sharp to elect 9

teachers for a term of 7 months.

Wages \$55 per month. School com-

mences Aug. 31. All teachers must

be present on day of election. At

this meeting bids will be received for

furnishing coal.

—Wesley Young, Sec'y.

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**\$1.50** Women's Oxfords **\$1.50**

Makers' regular \$2.50 grades Vici Kidskin  
Uppers; Extension Soles. Sizes 2 1-2 to 8.

Women's Gibson Ties.

Patent oil-skin uppers; short vamps; silk ribbon lace—turned or extension soles, Cuban heels.

Sizes 2 to 8; the kind that other stores retail at \$2.50

Our price \$1.50



Women's \$2.50

Pumps

Patent coltskin and gun metal  
calfskin; flexible soles. Sizes  
2 1-2 to 8.

At \$1.50



Women's Blucher  
Oxford Ties

Tan calfskin, patent coltskin  
and gun metal calfskin. Welted  
extension soles, Cuban and  
military heels, sizes 2 1-2 to 8  
Worth \$2.00. At \$1.50



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For nurses, teachers, saleswomen or  
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from soft French kidskin. Sizes 2 1-2  
to 8, widths E to EEE.

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Sizes 2 1-2 to 8; values up to \$3 in all  
leathers; lace, button or blucher; high  
and medium heels, extension welted  
soles.

Choice \$1.50



Men's Oxfords

Made from Vici Kid; solid leather soles;  
sizes 6 to 11. Well worth \$2.50. special  
at \$1.50.

Men's and Boys' Shoes.

Sample lots. Box calf, vici kid, velour  
calf and patent leather; English welted  
soles. Also a lot of men's plain toe  
shoes. Lace or gaiters. Men's  
sizes 6 to 11, boys' sizes 9 to  
13 1-2 and 1 to 5 1-2, all at

**\$1.50**



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the Mail takes orders for high class  
engraving of calling cards and invi-  
tations.

FOR RENT—Flat in Schuyler Build-  
ing McKean Avenue. Third floor  
front. All conveniences. Inquire  
George Schuyler's Office.

FOR RENT—Three rooms with bath  
and all modern conveniences. Inquire  
237 Fallowfield Avenue.

CARDS—Call and see our samples  
of stylish calling cards. Printed or  
engraved. Charleroi Mail. 134 tf

FOR SALE—Small confectionery  
in nearby mining town. Address Con-  
fectioner, Mail Office. 664tf

WANTED—Boy to work in shoe  
store. About sixteen years of age.  
Must be willing to work, apply 96  
Mail office.

WANTED—To rent four to six roomed  
house with bath. Inquire 21 Mail  
office.

WANTED—At once; twenty men.  
Apply American Window Glass com-  
pany, Belle Vernon.

WANTED—Sewing to do. Mrs.  
Spencer, 319 Fallowfield Avenue.

FOR RENT—Flat of 5 rooms and  
bath. All modern conveniences.  
Apply Greenberg's, Fifth street and  
McKean avenue.

LOST—In Charleroi, a watch fob,  
having three lion heads, with white  
stone in head. Reward if returned to  
Harry Snyder, Monongahela House,  
Monongahela.

27312

WANTED—To do washing or house-  
cleaning by the day. Address 19  
Mail office.

27412

Notice.

A grey horse weighing about 1400  
pounds has been on my farm for some  
time. Party owning same will please  
call and settle for damage done or  
same will be disposed of according to  
law. Joe Clement, Dickey Farm,

### HERE AND THERE

Since H. W. Donehue has made  
known that so many of his former  
pupils have successfully embarked on  
the matrimonial sea, the Crosscreek  
girls are leaving their old teachers  
and making application for admission  
to his class. We don't blame them,  
however, as Crosscreek has long been  
noted for the storm center of old  
maids.

The fifth annual commencement of  
the Parochial school of Washington,  
will be held in the Church of the  
Immaculate Conception this morning  
at 8 o'clock. The address to the  
graduates, a class consisting of nine  
members, is to be delivered by Father  
Duval, Pittsburg.

The new plant of the West Newton  
water company, one of the most complete  
in its state, and which was only  
recently placed in commission, has  
been found unfit for use for which  
it was designed.

While trying to avoid being struck  
by a street car near the place last  
night James Baer, of Orkdale, stepped  
directly in front of a rapidly moving  
automobile and was instantly killed.

The Creswell and McCarrell des-  
cendant will celebrate the 100th an-  
niversary of the marriage of Mary  
Creswell nee McCarrell, tomorrow at  
the home of Miss Mary Smith, of  
near Independence.

"Love is blind," quoted the Wise  
Guy. "Well it may be born blind,  
but it soon gets its eyes open" added  
the Simple Mog.

Train No. 101 leaving Uniontown on  
the P. R. R. Wednesday morning  
at 7 o'clock, struck a cow, a short  
distance this side of Todstone Junction,  
and the engine was put out of  
commission.

A marriage license has been issued  
in Pittsburg yesterday to John C.  
Fleming, Burgettstown, and Jeanie  
M. Vaughn, Cliff Mine. Miss Vaughn  
will be remembered as a former Mo-  
nongahela girl.

Stepping out of the way of an ap-  
proaching freight train into the very  
arms of death was the fate of Paul  
Dudek, a one legged resident of Can-  
onsburg, last night, as the cannonball  
due at Canonsburg at 6:30, was racing  
into the station.

Gamblers should know by this time  
that they are not permitted in Con-

nelville. Connellsville is not that  
kind of a Center.

Mrs. Lavina McClain, of Canton  
township, was arrested yesterday  
afternoon by Constable J. M. Howell,  
on a charge of violating the Sunday  
laws by disorderly conduct.

John McKain, of West Alexander,  
and Mary J. Hindman, of Arden,  
were united in marriage at the home  
of the officiating minister, Rev.  
Matthew Rutherford, at 12 o'clock to-  
day.

Mrs. Mary E. McElroy, one of the  
oldest and most highly esteemed ladies  
of Washington, died today. She  
was born in Cross Creek, this county,  
November 21, 1823.

Robert Jeffery, a well known farmer  
of near Woodrow, is in a serious  
condition as the result of a fall from  
a cherry tree.

New Haven has secured a new in-  
dustry without making any noise  
about it. It isn't large, but it will  
help some.

A big celebration has been planned  
for Burrettstown on the Fourth. As  
the posters announce, there will be  
"something doing at the fair grounds  
all the day."

A class of 200 young people of the  
Church of the Immaculate Conception  
was confirmed in the church, South  
Lincoln street, Washington, yesterday  
morning by the Bishop Canvin, of  
Pittsburg.

Louis Suppis, a German driver,  
living at Youngstown, or Braddock, or  
Mt. Braddock, is looking for his 12  
year old son Wilhelm, who has been  
missing for nine weeks.

In the neighborhood of Addison  
snakes are more numerous this year  
than ever before, having been driven  
down from the mountains by forest  
fires. J. E. Hos. v. E. Liver test,  
killed nine in one day, principally  
black snakes.

The West Penn is hunting up new  
and better ears. The management  
proposes to keep its equipment and its  
service up to date in every respect.

The young Uniontown woman arrested  
and thrown into jail for passing a  
bogus check is also accused of owing  
several millinery bills about town.

The district attorney's office has  
been informed of a shooting  
at Marietta, the new coal town of the  
Pittsburg-Buffalo line of the Pittsburg  
-Buffalo company near Zollarsville,  
which looks very much like a murder.  
Daniel O'Connor is the man killed.

Schools for the education of the

foreigners are being established  
established throughout the western  
part of the state. Rev. D. M. McClain  
of New Wilmington, being at the  
head of the movement. Funds for  
the work are being provided by the  
U. S. Steel corporation.

Work on the sewer disposal plant  
now being erected by Washington at  
Arden, is under way. This plant when  
completed will cost over \$100,000, and  
will be modern in every way for the  
economical handling of sewer dispos-  
al.

It is well to be temperate this hot  
weather, especially in the use of ice  
water.

The health authorities of West  
Homestead are up in arms against  
what they declared to be carelessness  
on the part of the authorities of  
Homestead in not looking after the  
borough pest house property, and  
claims as a result of their neglect an  
epidemic of small pox is liable to  
break out in West Homestead at any  
time.

Exchanges are telling of men who  
are traveling over the state asking  
the merchants to contribute towards a  
fund for the purpose of having a mer-  
chants tax removed. They are also  
asked to contribute to the crusade.  
From \$1 to \$5 is very acceptable. It  
is a slick swindle, and our merchants  
in this county should beware.

There is nothing dull about the pic-  
nic season. The big ones are dodg-  
ing each other's dates.

The theory that a wife has a right  
to help her husband, and in fact that  
it is her duty to do so, is right and  
proper so long as the assistance ren-  
dered is not an unlawful act.

After a severe tussle Constable  
Prison, of New Salem, had the satis-  
faction of landing Thomas Hanley, of  
Fairbanks, in jail last night. The  
man was in a crazed condition and  
did his best to drown himself in the  
swollen creek.

Tuesday the new 50-ton open  
hearth furnace of the Pagu Woven  
Wire Fence company at Monessen was  
lighted, twenty additional men being  
given employment, and the capacity  
of that department being more than  
doubled.

Helen Grey, the 15-year old daughter  
of the Rev. Foster Grey, pastor of the  
M. E. church, of Independence  
was terribly bitten by a furious dog  
last Thursday morning at the home of  
James Crouch, north of the village.

Read The Ma

## \$10.00 Stock for \$3.00

### Ample Security!

Advance in price \$1.00 per month !!

Dividends 10 per cent. assured!!!

That is only part of the story.

The Cuban Commercial Fruit Line just starting with a line of ships  
from Savannah, Ga., to Cuban and Porto Rican ports, offers a better  
opening for the large or small investor than can be found elsewhere.

### REPRESENTATIVES WANTED

In every City and County in the United States and Canada there is  
an opening for reliable men who can efficiently represent the Compa-  
ny's interests; men of character, energy and influence in the commu-  
nity.

The second allotment of the Full Paid and Non-assessable Treas-  
ury Stock is now ready for subscription at

### \$3.00 PER SHARE

and may be paid for in six equal monthly instalments.

The par value of this stock is \$10.00, hence the purchaser gets  
\$10.00 for \$3.00, and as the price is advancing \$1.00 per share per  
month the holder can sell at the advance, hold for dividends or ex-  
change for land at his option.

Curb Brokers will be bidding \$10.00 for the stock after January

first.

This is the safest and best investment opportunity of the Century

### Doesn't This Appeal to You?

Would you like to own some land in Cuba where orange groves are  
worth \$5,000 per acre and where pineapples pay \$300 to \$500 per acre  
every year?

Don't you want some stock in a company which will pay from 10  
per cent. to 25 per cent. in dividends every year with the price of stock  
going up every day you hold it?

Then don't miss this opportunity!

Write today for prospectus!

Become a representative of this Company.

### ADVANCE IN PRICE

to \$4.00 per share will take place July 1st, and further advances at the  
rate of one dollar per share per month.

This plan will be carried out to the letter.

If you want any buy it now!

## Cuban Commercial Company

262 Washington Street

Boston, Mass.

**Make Your Pretty White  
and Light Summer  
Dresses Now!**

Wash Dress Fabrics shown at this store are different and distinct from the general run. The weaves and patterns are so pretty. We choose our lines with unusual care and now, at the threshold of summer, is the very time to make your selections. Any sort of pattern is here—plaids, checks, dots, figures, floral effects and in every color or color combination that's desired.

Fine White Persian Lawns	15c, 12½c
very fine and sheer, regular widths, special value the yard 25, 20, 15 and.....12½c	10c
Imported Dress Ginghams	20 and.....25c
Plain White Nainsook in the finest of weaves and 36 inches wide, 4 grades, 35, 25, 20 and.....12½c	12½c
Plain Soisettes, blue, pink, lemon, red, brown.....25c	25c
Printed Silk Mulls.....25c	25c
And many other beautiful fabrics, ranging from 15c to .....50c	50c

**LINENS FOR DRESSES**

The natty shirt waist dresses possess a remarkable large degree of distinctiveness when made up of these superb linens. They come in white and in good plain colors—also in checks.

White linens, 36 inches wide, 50 and.....15c  
Natural linens, 27 to 36 ins. wide.....25c

**There is a Great Clearance Sale  
of  
CARPETS, RUGS, LINOLEUMS  
NOW ON  
Great Values are Offered**

We start this clearance sale with large selection of most desirable Carpets and Rugs and with the lowest prices you've known for many a year.

The entire stock will be on sale—come early and secure the best selections.

**Berryman's**  
CHARLEROI'S LIVE STORE

**... BRICK ...**

California Clay Manufacturing Co.

Get our Prices on

Common and Face Brick

Room 21,  
Trust Co. Bldg.

CHARLEROI, PA.

**A Good Financial Reward**

When your Bank Account shows an increase over the previous year, it indicates that you are endeavoring to climb higher on the ladder of success, and accomplish something worth while.

If you have not already started an account with the Charleroi Savings & Trust Company, now is a good time to open one and start saving in earnest.

SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES TO RENT, \$1.00 AND UP PER YEAR

**Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.**

CHARLEROI, PENNSYLVANIA.

4 per cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts

Compounded twice a year

Capital and Undivided Profits \$143,000.00

**Buy Green Goods at Masters'**

We are handling so much in the line of green goods that you are always sure of your purchases being fresh. When thinking about something dainty and nice for the table don't forget that we are always glad to send little purchases to the house in time for the next meal.

**J. E. MASTERS & CO.**

Four h<sup>th</sup> St. and Fallowfield Ave

Charleroi, Pa.

**Notice! Intend Going Abroad?**

All indications point to a heavy traveling season and choice accommodations are rapidly being reserved.

**AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT**

File your application for berths at once.

Oldest Steamship Agency in Upper Monongahela Valley

**FRANK RIVA** Sole Agency for the World Renowned Domestic Machine

524 Fallowfield Ave.

**Decided Price Cut In  
MEN'S OXFORDS!**

**Saturday  
And  
Monday  
Only!**

W. L. Douglass, union made \$3.50 and \$4.00 Oxfords, in all leathers

**\$2.69**

Cut to W. L. Douglass, union made, \$3.00 oxfords in all leathers.

**\$2.39**

200 Pairs of other makes of Oxfords, all union made, cut 50 per cent.

Here is a great opportunity for you to save money on Shoes that are as staple as United States Gold Bonds.

**On Sale Only Saturday & Monday  
June 27th and 29th.**

**Come Early and You will get Your Size  
Remember the Street and Number**

**419 McKean Ave.**

**Louis Beigel**  
FOR GOOD SHOES  
**419 M<sup>c</sup> KEAN AVE.**

**FURNACE HEATING**

Insures a good circulation of warm air and is the cheapest way to heat your residence. If you are going to build, why not have your house piped for a furnace and save the cost of extra chimneys. Call and get estimate. We handle the best makes. Xth Century and W<sup>th</sup> C, and have experienced men who put them up.

We do all kinds of roofing and repair work. Your roof, we should be painted every year or two. We can do that or sell you the paint and you can do it. Paint is your wants.

**D. N. HALL** 412 Fallowfield Avenue

BOTH PHONES

Phillips-Murray.

At 6:30 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride, Washington, was solemnized the marriage of Miss Hazel Deane Murray, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. U. S. Murray, to William Harvey Phillips of Beallsville. Miss Murray was graduated from the Washington Seminary and later from the California State Normal school. The only attendants were Emaline Coulter, flower girl, and Burton Murray, ring bearer. The service was read by Rev. C. E. Wilbur of Bellevue.

Card of Thanks.

We desire through the columns of the Mail to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness bestowed upon us in our late bereavement, the death of our little daughter Maizie.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Smith

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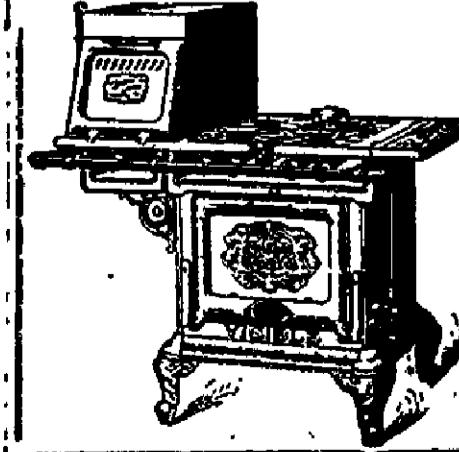
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Adams of 729 Fallowfield Avenue left this morning for Atlantic City and other points to spend several days.

**A First Class Music Store**

Charleroi has a music store where everything that's musical is sold. It may be a piano, or it may be a violin, or phonograph. We can furnish it. We handle such a large quantity of musical goods, the scope of our business is so large, that we are always able to make prices the lowest and terms the easiest. Post yourself on the fine lists we handle in pianos and you will understand why it is unnecessary for anybody to go outside of Charleroi to buy.

**W. F. Frederick Music Co.,**  
J. J. KING, Retail Manager.

Fallowfield Ave.



**J. M. FLEMING**

PLUMBING AND  
GAS FITTING .....

Gas Ranges and Chandeliers,  
Garden Hose and Gas Hose

**Masonic Building**  
Charleroi, Pa.

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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA., FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 1908

One Cent

## COMMENT OVER CONTRACT FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Some Think School Board Was Wrong In Matter Of Favoring The Highest Bidder When Lower Was a Home Man.

## BOARD RATIFIES ACTION IN SECOND MEETING

Considerable comment, both favorable and unfavorable has been occasioned by the recent action of the Charleroi School Board in awarding the contract for supplies for the school for the coming year to the highest bidder, Johnson Supply Co. of Pittsburgh, rather than to the lowest bidder, George S. Might, who is a home man. The contract price with the Johnson company is \$1125.14, in of Johnson's material over that of Might's and claims that feature alone would make up for the amount which Mr. Might underbid Johnson.

As before said in their article the action is thought to have been unjust by some, who claim there is no inferiority in the goods which Mr. Might shows either in quality or quantity. Those who make that claim was down. Johnson's it is stated have examined the samples of both, had his items totaled and Might had not. The board examined the samples, and the prices from each house, and finally ended by awarding the contract to the Johnson Supply Co. at the price of \$1125.14, which is less 2 per cent. of the original amount, deducted by the representative for allowing his firm the entire contract. Might's price without the deduction of 2 per cent. was \$1101.07. The members of the board claim that he did not make any offer to deduct the 2 per cent. that night, and although they did not go into the minutest details at the time, it was seen by them that the better grade of material was

While much contention and bitter feeling is being caused by the above action of the board it is hoped that the matter will be cleared over with the better grade of material was

## COLORED MAN IS ARRESTED FOR MARIANNA MURDER

## WONSETLER WILL CASE IS AGAIN BEING CONTESTED

Suspected of the murder of Daniel O'Connor, which occurred at Marianna yesterday noon, James Ellison, alias James Milton, was arrested at Homestead, his home town yesterday, whence he is supposed to have fled after the shooting.

The man was arrested by Detective Wallace Hilton. Milton passed through Monongahela on his way to Homestead from Marianna yesterday, the fact that he was wanted by the authorities was not known.

He was arrested at the instigation of Coroner Sipe and will be held to the result of the inquest. He is in the Monongahela lockup.

It was learned this afternoon that another colored man by the name of Bert Lincoln had been arrested in connection with the murder. Suspicion now rests upon him as the one who did the shooting more so than on Ellison. A hearing will be given the man tonight.

J. T. Dorsey, principal of the bethel Department of Doug's business college and superintendent of the correspondence school left today for his home in Smith Grove, Ky. While here Prof. Dorsey made many friends who are sorry to see him leave.

WANTED--A girl for general house work. Apply Southern Furniture Company, 412 Fallowfield, ave.

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An interesting feature is that dis-

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## No Delay in Banking by Mail

There is no delay in transacting your banking business with the First National Bank of Charleroi, and it will give you a great deal of time.

This strong, and reliable banking institution cordially invites your account.

4 per cent Interest Paid on Savings Accounts  
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R. Tener, Pres. F. B. Newton, Vice-Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.  
You Can Safely and Conveniently Bank With Us by Mail

## CLARKSBURG WINS OUT

Moguls Heavy Hitters Get In Work At Expense Of Osborne,

By heavy hitting and the superior pitching of Fletcher, a new recruit from Wheeling, the Clarksburg bunch yesterday took a fast game from the Cherubs 4 to 2. Osborne who twirled for Charleroi was out hard and the Drummers took every advantage, playing line inside ball.

Fletcher did not allow a Celestial to reach third until the eighth inning when two doubles and a single sent two runs over the pan. These were the only scores made by Charleroi, although they had 11 hits to 10 for two more in the same inning when Bill Houser landed one to left field fence. Cy Dawson distinguished himself by a long run and sensational catch thus robbing Charleroi of two runs which would have resulted.

Clarksburg scored in the first inning by hits and again in the third. In the sixth by hard work they chased another around the circuit and repeated the occurrence in the next inning.

Score:

CLARKSBURG	R	H	P	A	E
F. Dawson, l.....	1	2	0	0	
J. Dawson, m.....	1	2	0	0	
Clark, r.....	1	1	0	0	
Conaway, l.....	1	10	0	0	
Gribben, c.....	1	2	1	0	
McAvoy, s.....	1	1	0	0	
M'Ginty, s.....	1	1	0	0	
McAfee, c.....	0	2	0	0	
Fletcher, p.....	0	2	0	0	
Total.....	4	27	10	1	

CHARLEROI	R	H	P	A	E
Dunn, s.....	0	0	2	0	
Cosgrove, 2.....	0	4	3	0	
Robb, i.....	1	1	0	1	
Heinz, 1.....	1	12	0	0	
Dailey, c.....	2	3	1	0	
Nally, m.....	0	4	1	0	
Houser, J.....	0	6	3	1	
May, r.....	0	0	0	1	
Osborne, p.....	2	0	3	0	
Totals	2	24	13	3	

Clarksburg.....1 0 1 0 1 1 4  
Charleroi.....0 0 0 0 0 2 2

Stolen base—J. Dawson. Sacrifice hits—Clark, Conaway, Dailey.

Three-base hits—F. Dawson. First base on balls—Off Fletcher 2, off Os-

borne 2. Left on bases—Clarksburg

is the last will and testament. The

new will was found in a safe deposit

in Charleroi. First base on errors

—Clarkburg 2. Charleroi 1. Two-

base hits—McAvoy 2, Robb, Heinz.

Struck out—By Fletcher 7, by Os-

borne 2. Double plays—McAvoy and

Conaway; Nally and Cosgrove. Hit

Wonsetler's death was asked by his

daughter on the ground that the father

son. Umpire—McGeary. Attenda-

was not of a sound mind at the time

the instrument was drawn. The

Evangelical Lutheran church was one

of the beneficiaries. To the will now

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18, 1902, and witnessed by J. M. Mc-

Burney and J. C. Ewing, there are

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Money!

# Sample Shoe Store

Save  
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## GREAT \$1.50 SALE

### 900 Pairs of Shoes at Less Than The Cost of Shoemaking

Bought from a number of large wholesale houses and all marked down at the uniform price of **ONE DOLLAR FIFTY** a pair for new up-to-date footwear in all leathers, sizes and widths for men, women and girls.

**\$1.50** Women's Oxfords  
Makers' regular \$2.50 grades Vici Kidskin  
Uppers; Extension Soles. Sizes 2 1/2 to 8.

**\$1.50** Women's Gibson Ties.  
Patent of shoe uppers; short vamps; silk ribbon lace—turned or extension soles. Cuban heels. Sizes 6 to 8; the kind that other stores retail at \$2.50

Our price \$1.50



**Women's \$2.50 Pumps**  
Patent calfskin and gun metal calfskin; flexible soles. Sizes 2 1/2 to 8.

At \$1.50

**Women's Blucher Oxford Ties**  
Tan calfskin, patent calfskin and gun metal calfskin. Welted extension soles. Cuban and military heels. Sizes 2 1/2 to 8. Worth \$2.00. At: \$1.50

**\$1.50 WOMEN'S COMFORT \$2.50 OXFORDS**  
For nurses, teachers, saleswomen or any who stand on their feet. Made from soft French kidskin. Sizes 2 1/2 to 8, widths E to EEE.

**Women's Sample Shoe**  
Sizes 2 1/2 to 8; values up to \$2.50; all leathers; lace, button or blucher; high and medium heels; extension welted soles.

Choice \$1.50

**Men's Oxfords**  
Made from Vici Kid; solid leather soles; sizes 6 to 11. Well worth \$2.50. special at \$1.50.

**Men's and Boys' Shoes.**  
Sample lots. Box calf, vici kid, velour calfskin and patent leather; English welted soles. Also a lot of men's plain toe shoes. Lace or gaiters. Men's sizes 6 to 11, boys' sizes 9 to 13 1/2 and 1 to 5 1/2, all at

**\$1.50**

#### THE CHARLEROI MAIL WANT COLUMN

ONE CENT PER WORD each insertion. **10% IN ADVANCE.**  
No ad. accepted less than 2 cents. This includes: Lost & Found, Wanted, Etc.

**WANTED**—Everybody to know that the Mail takes orders for high class engraving of calling cards and invitations. 1431

**FOR RENT**—Fist in Schuyler building McKean Avenue. Third floor front. All conveniences. Inquire George Schuyler's Office. 2541

**FOR RENT**—Three rooms with bath all modern conveniences. Inquire 2541

**CARDS**—Call and see our samples of stylish calling cards. Printed or engraved. Charleroi Mail. 184 tf

**FOR SALE**—Small confectionery in nearby mining town. Address Confectioner, Mail Office. 6011

**WANTED**—Boy to work in shoe store. About sixteen years of age. Must be willing to work. Apply 27113 Mail office. 27113

**WANTED**—To rent four to six roomed house with bath. Inquire 21 Mail office. 27112

**WANTED**—At once; twenty men. Apply American Window Glass company, Pittsburgh. 27212

**WANTED**—Sewing to do. Mrs. Standard, 1000, Pittsfield Street. 27212

**FOR RENT**—Flat of 5 rooms and bath. All modern conveniences. Apply Greenberg's, Fifth street and McKean avenue. 27112

**LOST**—In Charleroi, a watch fob, having three lion heads, with white stone in head. Reward if returned to Harry Snyder, Monongahela House, Monessen. 27112

**WANTED**—To do washing or house-cleaning by the day. Address 19 Mail office. 27112

**NOTICE**  
A grey horse weighing about 1400 pounds has been on my farm for some time. Party owning same will please call and settle for damage done or same will be disposed of according to law. Joe Cleaver, Bishop, Penna. 27112

**WANTED**—Sewing to do. Mrs. Standard, 1000, Pittsfield Street. 27212

#### HERE AND THERE

Since H. W. Donehue has made known that so many of his former pupils have successfully embarked on the matrimonial sea, the Crosscreek girls are leaving their old teachers and making application for admission to his class. We don't blame them, however, as Crosscreek has long been noted for the storm center of old maids.

The fifth annual commencement of the Parochial school of Washington will be held in the Church of the Immaculate Conception this morning at 8 o'clock. The address to the graduates, a class consisting of nine members, is to be delivered by Father Mathew Rutherford, at 12 o'clock to-day.

Mrs. Mary E McElroy, one of the

oldest and most highly esteemed ladies of Washington, died today. She was born in Cross Creek, this county, November 21, 1823.

Robert Jeffery, a well known farmer of near Woodrow, is in a serious condition as the result of a fall from a cherry tree.

New Haven has secured a new industry without making any noise about it. It isn't large, but it will help some.

A big celebration has been planned for Burettstown on the Fourth. As the posters announce, there will be something doing at the fair grounds

A class of 20 young people of the Church of the Immaculate Conception was confirmed in the church, South Lincoln street, Washington, yesterday morning by the Bishop Convin of Pittsburgh.

Louis Suppis, a German driver, living on Venetian, or Broadway, or Mt. Braddock, is looking for his 12 year old son Wilhelm, who has been missing for nine weeks.

In the neighborhood of Addison snakes are more numerous this year than ever before, having been driven out of the mountains by fire at 7 o'clock, struck a cow, a short distance this side of Redstone Junction, and the engine was put out of commission.

A marriage license has been issued in Pittsburgh yesterday to John C. Fleming, Burgettstown, and Jennie M. Vaughn, Cliff Mine. Miss Vaughn will be remembered as a former Monongahela girl.

Stepping out of the way of an approaching freight train into the very arms of death was the fate of Paul Dodek, a one legged resident of Canonsburg, last night, as the cannonball due at Canonsburg at 6:30, was racing into the station.

Gamblers should know by this time that they are not permitted in Con-

Schools for the education of the

foreigners are being established throughout the western part of the state. Rev. Dr. M. C. of New Wilmington, being in head of the movement. Funds for the work are being provided by U. S. Steel corporation.

Work on the sewer disposal plant now being erected by Washington & Arden, is under way. This plant when completed will cost over \$100,000, and will be modern in every way for the economical handling of sewer disposal.

It is well to be temperate this weather, especially in the use of water.

The health authorities of West Homestead are up in arms again what they declared to be carelessness on the part of the authorities. Homestead is not looking after the thorough pest house properly, as claims as a result of their neglect an epidemic of small pox is liable break out in West Homestead at any time.

Exchanges are telling of men who are traveling over the state asking the merchants to contribute towards fund for the purpose of having a me

asked to contribute to the crusade. From \$1 to \$5 is very acceptable. It is a slick swindle, and our merchants in this county should beware.

There is nothing dull about the pugnacious business. The big ones are doing each other's dates.

The theory that a wife has a right to help her husband, and in fact that it is her duty to do so, is right as far as it goes, but it is not as the assistance rendered is not an unlawful act.

After a severe tussle Constance, of New Salem, had the satisfaction of hitting Tom, Hamley, Fairbanks, in jail last night. The man was in a crazed condition and did his best to drown himself in swollen creek.

Tuesday the new 50-ton open hearth furnace of the Page Wire Fence company at Monessen will be lighted, twenty additional men being given employment, and the capacity of that department being more than doubled.

Helen Grey, the 15-year old daughter of the Rev. Foster Grey, pastor of the M. E. church of Independence, was terribly bitten by a furious dog last Thursday morning at the home of James Crouch, north of the village.

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the finest of weaves and 36	Plain Soisettes, blue, pink,	
inches wide, 4 grades, 35,	lemon, red, brown.....	25c
25, 20 and.....	25c	
White Linen Finished Lawns	25c	
an exceptional fine quality	And many other beautiful	
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The natty shirt waist dresses possess a remarkable degree of distinctiveness when made up of these superb linens. They come in white and in good plain colors—also in checks.

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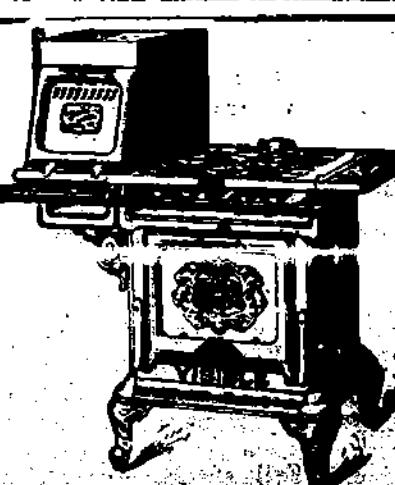
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At 6:30 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride, Washington, was solemnized the marriage of Miss Hazel Deane Murray, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. U. S. Murray, to William Harvey Phillips of Beallsville, Miss.

Murray was graduated from the Washington Seminary and later from the California State Normal school. The only attendants were Emilie Coolnor, flower girl, and Burton Murray, ring bearer. The service was read by Rev. C. E. Wilbur of Bellevue.

### Card of Thanks.

We desire through the columns of the Mail to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness bestowed upon us in our late bereavement, the death of our little daughter Maizie.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Adams of 229 Fallowfield Avenue left this morning for Atlantic City and other points to spend several days.

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